

Notice of Allowability

Application No.

10/719,363

Examiner

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-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--

All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1. ☒ This communication is responsive to 8/23/07.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-15, 18-23, 27-31, 33-37, 39-49, 51-54, 56-78, 80, 83, 85, 86, 88, 89, 93-103, 105-111, 113-117, 119, 120, 122, 125-133, 137, 140-147 and 150-155.
3. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).
- * Certified copies not received: _____.

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4. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
5. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
- (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
- 1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
- (b) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date _____.
- Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).
6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

1. ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2. ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3. ☒ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO/SB/08),
Paper No./Mail Date _____
4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit
of Biological Material
5. ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application
6. ☒ Interview Summary (PTO-413),
Paper No./Mail Date _____
7. ☒ Examiner's Amendment/Comment
8. ☒ Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance
9. ☐ Other _____.

DETAILED ACTION

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Michelle C. Kim (Reg. No. 51,881) on October 16, 2007.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

2. The application has been amended as follows:

In the Claims:

Claim 94: on page 35, on line 2 of the claim, please insert --comprising-- after "telephones".

Claim 103: on page 39, on line 2 of the claim, please replace "and" with --or--.

Claim 140: on page 60, on line 1 of the claim, after "device", please insert --for communicating with the Internet and remotely located telephones--; and on the last line of the claim, please replace "by telephone call" with --to a remotely located telephone--.

Claim 141: on page 60, on line 1 of the claim, after "device", please insert --for communicating with the Internet and remotely located telephones--; and on page 61, on the last line of the claim, please delete "an emergency telephone".

Claim 144: on page 61, on the last line of the claim, please delete "at least one of"; and please replace "or" with --and--.

Claim 150: one page 64, on line 2 of the claim, after "communicating with", please insert --the Internet and--.

(END OF AMENDMENT)

3. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

Allowable Subject Matter

4. Claims 1-15, 18-23, 27-31, 33-37, 39-49, 51-54, 56-78, 80, 83, 85, 86, 88, 89, 93-103, 105-111, 113-117, 119, 120, 122, 125-133, 137, 140-147, and 150-155 are allowed as these claims were previously allowed. No new prior art, nor the art cited in the latest IDS's filed, suggests or renders obvious the limitations of the independent claims.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably

accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Conclusion

5. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Erika A. Gary whose telephone number is 571-272-7841. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Charles Appiah can be reached on 571-272-7904. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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